

**FISCAL MEMORANDUM  
SB 2624 – HB 2668**

March 18, 2008

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (015436):** Deletes existing procedure for compelling testimony by a citizen of Tennessee for litigation pending in a court in another state. Retains provisions of original bill establishing new procedures for compelling this testimony. Authorizes the court, when granting a motion to modify or quash a subpoena, to award the party subpoenaed its reasonable attorney's fees and expenses incurred in defending against the subpoena.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

MINIMAL

**FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:**

**Unchanged from the original fiscal note.**

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- Establishing uniform interstate deposition and subpoena procedures will have no fiscal impact on the resources of state courts in Tennessee.
- Awarding attorneys fees and expenses incurred in defending against a subpoena in these cases will not have a fiscal impact on the state.

**CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director

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